

## Budget Calendar of Upcoming Events

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calendar  
not from  
Town)*

- January 19: Second round of 9C cuts for FY 2009 expected to be announced this week by Governor Deval Patrick
- January 20 Budget Planning Task Force: school consolidation discussion
- January 28 Governor submits his state budget proposal, including recommended funding for the UMass system
- January 29 General Faculty meeting on the budget crisis, featuring a presentation by Chancellor Holub
- February 12: Tuition and fee increases reviewed by Administration and Finance Committee of the UMass Trustees
- February 16 Target date for federal stimulus package approval
- February 27: Full UMass Board of Trustees vote on tuition and fee increases
- March 2: Joint Ways and Means state budget hearings expected to begin
- April 6 Registration begins for fall classes. By this time, projected teaching assignments and number of classes/sections must be determined. Some teaching assignments may be labeled TBA.
- April 15: House Ways and Means state budget released
- April 30: House budget completed
- May 15: Senate Ways and Means state budget released
- May 31: Senate budget approved
- June 1: State budget conference committee appointed
- June 30: State budget conference committee report
- July 10 Governor signs state budget, issues vetoes and amendments
- July 30 Governor's vetoes and amendments resolved
- September 8 First day of fall classes. Teaching assignments finalized.

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